WASHINGTON, D. C., TUESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 21, 1884.

### FALLING INTO LINE LOTS OF VIRGINIA DEMOCRATS COMING

OVER TO BLAINE AND LOGAN. A Great Change in the Political Sentiment of the Shenandoah Valley-The Good Work

The Citizens' Candidate for Mayor.

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New Yonk, Oct. 20.—A citizens' meeting was
beld to night in the Academy of Music, this
city, for the purpose of making a nomination
for mayor. The meeting was composed of
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white, and Dr. Howard Crasby were among
those present. The building was crowded.
Ex-Mayor William R. Grace was formally

# Nominated for Cougress. Fourteenth New York district—Edward Mc-Alnin, republican; Mayor Stahlingeker, democrat, indorsed by people's party. Third Massachusetts district—E. B. Löring, people's party.

BLAINE AND THE SOUTH.

Prevented From Speaking at the Fort Wayne Hotel, He Tells the Crowd What Democratic Supremacy Would Mean.

FORT WAYNE, IND., Oct. 20.-About 2:30 this afternoon the Haine train arrived at Fort Wayne. There was a large crowd at the depot and all along the route to the Aveline house.

Gen. Logau in Iowa.

Durwque, Oct. 29.—Gen. Logan arrived here from Chicago to-day. His arrival was greeted with the roar of cannou, banda of music, marching political clubs, and a large concourse of people. He was escorted from the train to the Larimer house. At 3 o'clock he was escorted to Washington park, where a large crowd had assembled.

# The Tariff Question Gaining Votes. Harmsonburg, Va., Oct. 19.—The political parties were both represented here to-day by able speakers. There were no new issues presented by either side. This county is claimed by both sides from 190 to 500 majority. The tariff question is supposed to be gaining votes for the readjuster republican party.

Why He Declines the Nomination.

## QUEREC. Oct. 20.—A family named Parent, consisting of husband, wife, and son, got drunk hast night and it is supposed that in their maneuvers they knocked over the lamp, which set fire to Mrs. Parent's clothing. The police were attracted to the house by cries for assistance, and found the woman lying in the back yard with her entire clothing on fire.

Through Eight Miles of Fire.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 20.—The conductor of
the Atlanta City express main stated this morning that last night his train passed through
eight miles of country which was almost a
slicet of flame. The passengers were apprehensive at one time, as the heat was as intense
as the smoke was intolerable.

Scarcity of Water in Pennsylvania.

SHENANDAR, PA. Oct. 39.—Water is so scarce
here that but half an hour's supply is allowed
out of twenty-four. In Lost Creek and other
places the people are supplied from tanks of
locomotives. The drought is the severest for
many years.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 20.—In response to the invitation of Gen. Shaler, of the 1st division,

Some Positive Assertions About China's Offer LONDON, Oct. 20.-The Paris correspondent London, Oct. 29.—The Paris correspondent of the Telegraph states positively that the court at Pekin offered, through the Washington government, to pay 5,000,000 francs to compensate the French for their losses, not as owning to an error, but in order to smooth the way for a settlement. The correspondent says M. Ferry considers the offer too small. America is so

The Tichborne Claimant Released.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—The Tichborne claimant was scoredly brought to Pantonville prison hast night. He was discharged this morning, quite unexpectedly to himself. His time had still three days to run. The suddenness and scorecy of his release baffled the purpose of the claimant's supporters and frunds, who had intended to welcome him at the prison gates. At Scotland Yard the claimant received a ticket-of-leave requiring him to report monthly by letter to the authorities. He appeared to be in good health, He will remain quiet for the present, keeping his residence a secret.

Etmia, N. Y., Oct. 29.—An explosion oc-curred this morning at the Choming Canal bank, creating for a time great excitement. The gas had evidently been left turned on in The gas had evidently been left turned on in the vault since Saturday night and had smothered itself out. As Hou, John Arnot, the congressman, and the cashier of the bank, attempted to enter the vault at 9 a. m., carrying a lighted candle, there was an explosion, which blew him across the room against a counter, burning his face and hands. Every window in the bank was blown out, the office door shattered, and the lock torn off. A great crowd was attracted by the explosion. Mr. Arnot's injuries, while painful, are not of a serious nature, his sight luckily being uninjured.

## A TOUGH TEXAN

TRAPPED BY DETECTIVES AND ARBESTED

Officers-The Jail Surrounded by His Armed

THE THE LEGIS AND GOLDS.

A fined frame in the Position bettered to the control of the control o

o'clock this morning from an overdose of ether and laudanum taken through mistake.

From information received in this city last night, it appears that Dr. Somers, who was formerly judge of the orphans' court, had been a participant in a democratic meeting near Great Falls, Saturday night, and drank a great deal. On Sunday he wanted to get more whisky, but failed, and obtained some alcohol and ether from Dr. Tyler's case and drank a mixture of three ounces of the former and one of the latter. About 10 o clock Sunday morning Drs. Anderson and Tyler attended him, but the fearful dose had destroyed his stomach and intestines and he died in great agony early yesterday morning. He had expressed the intention to take enough to elither kill him or make him "feel good." The body was taken to Rockville last evening. Dr. Somers's brother is acting as agent for Mr. W. W. Corcoran in the west and has a sister in this city.

the United States, and of Minister Halderman's faithful enforcement of treaty obligations, the king of Siam has presented to the American government buildings and grounds at Hang-kok, all complete for the United States legation. It is stated that the gift was offered personally to the minister, but he did not feel at ilberty to receive it except on behalf of his government, which he has done. It will be remembered that some time ago the Unified States government are a medal and presents to the rajah of Tuluban, in the Malay peninsia, in acknowledgment of his kindness to the crew of an American ship wrecked on his coast. The rajah has sent to the President of the United States two handsome spears and a Malay kriss as tokens of his friendship.

Three Children Fatally Burned. QUELING, Oct. 20.—A farmer at St. Jacobin left his four children in the house to-day while he went to the field. During his absence the eld-

A Crank Who Wants a Brothersin-Law Pardoned Assaults Him in the Street.

ALRANY, N. Y., Oct. 20.—As Gov. Cleveland Mas going from the executive mansion to the capitol, about 9 of clock this morning, he we assaulted in front of the medical college, on Easile street, by Samuel Beone, of Elmira, who struck at him with his right hand. The blow was warded off and the man repeated the streemy several times, without hitting the governor's face. He then daried toward a pile of cobblestones, but was intercepted by Dr. George H. Houghton there pleased the cast developed by betterive Block in relation or the governor leastedy regumed his waik. Dr. Houghton then relurned to attack the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue he was arrested shortly afford. In the governor leastedy revue has a revue as the continue of the country of the country were unactually afford the superance count, to defen him. The case was put down to Video and the country of the country o

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Williams, the Forger, Arrested.

Harper's Ferry, W. VA., Oct. 29.—E. A. Williams, who forged Jas. D. Butt's signature to the alleged agreement to buy votes, which was circulated in this and adjoining counties on the morning of election day, was arrested in Hagerstown, Md., Saturday night. He will be taken to lialtimore this week and examined. It is believed here that the handbill containing the alleged agreement was circulated for the purpose of provoking a riot on election day, so that the seems of the Danville massacre could be repeated here. For ten days before the election this county was swarming with "Dosses" from the Chesspeake and Onio causal, the henchmen of Sonafor Gorman, and it is firmly believed that their presence was a part of the pain for manuscressori.

A Duel Prevented. Petersburg, Va., Oct. 20.—A duel between ohn W. Goodwyn and James Galbiam, the latter being an ex-police officer, was prevented yesterday afteraoon by the interfor-ence of the seconds. The place selected for the hostile meeting was near the water works, where the principals with their seconds ap-peared. As soon as the matter was reported to the police several of them repaired to the grounds, but none of the parties could be found. The difficulty originated in a dispute over a private matter. The trouble between the parties was amicably adjusted to-day.

A Convicts Fatal Fall.

GHEENSBURG, VA., Oct. 20.—White John
Fitzgerald, a horse thief, was attempting to

Pitzgeraid, a nove tine, was attempting to escape from jail this morning by letting him-self out of a window with a rope the rope broke, and Fitzgerald fell to the ground be-low a distance of forty-eight feet. He re-ceived fatal injuries.

SHENANDOAH, P.A., Oct. 20.—A small mine locomotive exploded at the Kohinoor colliery to-day, tatally injuring the engineer and slightly injuring several others. The breaker was set on fire by the explosion, but the flames were quickly extinguished.

The Providence (league) and Cincinnatis played a tic game of case ball yesterday at Providence, each club scoring two runs.

Miss Auita R. Kirkland, daughter of Commodore kirkland, of the Brocklyn navy yard, died yesterday of consumption. She was 22 years of age.

The Episopal Church Temperance society has re-cheeted Assistant Bishop Henry C. Potter, of New York, chairman, few. Br. R. H. Meddin, of Hartem, vice chairman, and lev. E. O. Osborn, of Massachusetts, treasurer. The executive committee of inst year were re-cleeted.

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That Mr. Warner communicated the contents of the report to Mr. Wilson appears from a letter of exclanation found in the jacket, with the report, dated Oct, it, and signed by Mr. Rheem, clot'k to Mr. Wilson and secretary to the trustees, in which the following occurs, after a criticism of flock's report, of what Mr. Shillington had told him;

"Mr. Shillington did call upon me about the latter part of July or the first part of August, and inquired of me if any change had been made in the text-books for the coming year. I told him home had been made—not had non-would be made as stated. He remarked that he had heard of the probable publication of new criticism of the fourth and Fifth readers, and he wished to learn if said editions where the probable publication of the probable publication of new criticism of the probable publication of new criticism of the probable publication of the probable pu This is addressed to be and if a significant the second of the second of

THE RACING WORLD.

THE INDICATIONS POINT TO A BRILLIANE

OPENING AT IVY CITY TO-DAY. Splendid Entries Obtained for the Fire Events-Brake Carter, Gen. Mouroe, War Engle, Rien,

and Heet and Too at Feather Weights-

Brighton Beach Results. This afternoon, at 1:15 o'cleck, the bell will weather can provent the reunion from being a grand success. With their accusioned liber mility and thoughtful care for the comfort of their patrons, the officers of the club have had a great force of watering caris sprinkling th

Ten Broods, dam Plating.

J. McElmeel's b. h. Gen. Monroe, 6 yrs.,
by Tom Bowling, dam Minnie T. Mor-

The issue of standard sliver dollars from the mints during the week ended Oct. 18 was \$29,996. The issue for the corresponding period of last year was \$319,997.

Killed Him in a Dream. Portsville, Pa., Oct. 28,—This morning then Rice Orbin came down to breaking at its parents' home, in Bradford, he excludined,

Report of the Commissary General.
Commissary General Nactorly has sub-mitted to the secretary of war his annual re-

has night. I dreamed that I shot a man while out hunting last Thursday." His relatives laughed at the matter, but young Orbit missted upon going to the scene of the shooting, and finally persuaded his brother-in-law small ones, to accompany him. Arriving at a spect five miles from home in a dense thicked of nurse they found the lody of Jacob S. him with a builet hole through the brain. Orbit had builet hole through the brain. Orbit had be somepanion were horrifled, and having returned to town and motified Justice Campbell, who will hold an impact to-morrow Corbin's story is received with some degree of incredibility; the general opinion being that he shot Klink accidentally and was affaild somes. Not men been good reputations. The air of mystery surrounding the kinking is the source of a great deal of comment and make the streets.

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